

Mission and Service Opportunities:

Look over this list of opportunities and you may find one or more that will allow you to get involved in helping impact someone else's life. Some are more giving oriented, some are more service oriented. For any of these opportunities, you may contact David Williams, David@rockycreekonline.org or 288-1323 for more information.

Shoes for Kenya; New Home For Used Shoes.

Samuel Kioko, the pastor of Sonpoint Baptist Fellowship in the Donaldson area, is a native of Kenya and would like to help the churches he planted in Kenya that are in need of new wells. He wisely does not want to send money (they will become dependent on him and on his money) so instead he would like to send good used shoes to the churches. They will sell the shoes and use the money to help with their well project.

Please bring GOOD used shoes by February 26. Tie them together before placing them in the container at The Landing (2nd floor at the elevator). As Pastor Samuel said "Americans have many different pairs of shoes, but many Kenyans have none".



Annie Armstrong Easter Offering

Week of Prayer for Home Missions, March 4-11, 2012

The North American Mission Board sponsors the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering each year. The funds given help the NAMB missionary force reach an estimated 259 million lost people in the United States and Canada with the message of Jesus Christ. The national goal for 2012 is \$70 million. Last year more than \$56 million was given which helped our NAMB missionaries to start new churches, lead student evangelism, provide evangelism training, and lead inner-city Baptist centers. www.anniearmstrong.com



Piedmont Women's Center

Banquet For Life

March 13, 6:45 pm, TD Convention Center

We will have the opportunity to look honestly at the darkness that confronts us and to Right the Wrong. Together we will defend the cause of the defenseless, stand in the gap for the helpless, and be a voice for the littlest ones. We will commit to sharing the light of Jesus Christ in the darkest corners of our community and world. This annual fundraising dinner is always a treat for those who attend.

<http://www.piedmontwomenscenter.org/banquet>

Talk with Brenda Bagwell, 963-2694, or Brenda@piedmontwomenscenter.org



Impact Sports Partnership Dinner

Saturday, March 24, 6:00 PM at First Baptist North Spartanburg

During the annual fundraising dinner, individuals have the opportunity to hear what God has been doing over the past year, what we have planned for the upcoming year, and how they can get involved either by going or contributing financially to the ministry. The 2012 dinner will be held on Saturday, March 24th. www.impactsonline.org

Contact Jerry Smith at 616-8133, jerrybethsmith@bellsouth.net about attending.



Mauldin Egg Drop

Mauldin City is sponsoring an Egg Drop event at Sunset Park on Saturday, March 31 from 3:00 – 5:00 pm. They have asked several Mauldin area churches to come help sponsor games and events during this time frame. They hope to have inflatables, face painting, puppets, games, and food. They anticipate a large crowd of people coming and hope to drop thousands of candy filled plastic eggs from a helicopter.



Triune Mercy Center

About 125 – 150 homeless men and women come to Triune Mercy Center to eat on Sunday afternoon. They attend a worship service before the meal. Rocky Creek has been asked to provide this meal on the 5th Sundays during 2012 (April 29, July 29, September 30, and December 30). We will need about 8 – 12 people to help with this. This crew would be responsible for purchasing and preparing the entrée and a side dish (Triune supplies the beverage, bread, dessert and paper products), serving the meal and clean-up of the kitchen and serving area. There is a full kitchen on site, but most crews prepare the food offsite and just warm up the food on Sunday.



This would be a great opportunity for a family with teenaged children to participate together. The crew would need to be at Triune on those Sundays from about 11:00 AM until about 1:00 PM. Contact David if you are interested in this. www.triunemercy.org

Apartment Ministries

Nearly 50% of those who live in America's major cities are apartment renters. Yet nearly 95% of these have no connection to a church. Many of these apartment communities are behind gates and make ministry difficult to outsiders.



Apartment Life has developed a model which places CARES teams within the apartment community with the responsibility to reach out to the residents with hospitality, and love sharing their life with their neighbors. The CARES team works with the apartment staff to build a strong community through relationship building activities. www.caresteam.org

Rocky Creek Global Missions Offering

These funds that are given by the Rocky Creek family are distributed to our various Mission Partners. In 2011 we were able to give over \$16,000 to 18 different ministries. These funds helped to purchase ministry materials and support missionaries. Some of the funds went into prisons to help share God's Word; some were used to support students serving with CEF for the summer; some purchased Bibles to go throughout the world; a ranch truck and a missionary's car were repaired; a chapel was constructed in Brazil; pastors in Liberia were discipled; and these are just a few of the ways your funds were used.

Global Missions Offering

